

Yakima River / Hanford Reach Salmon Reports and Ringold Steelhead Reports

November 30, 2009

Hanford Reach Ringold Steelhead Sport Fishery

An estimated 1,080 steelhead were caught during the month of November. Of these, 811 hatchery steelhead were harvested and 119 wild steelhead were caught and released. Effort and catch has begun to slow as winter approaches.

To date, 2,952 steelhead have been caught and 2,054 steelhead have been harvested.

Ringold Steelhead Fishery

2009 Season Summary

Month	Total		ADRV		AD		NM Hatchery		Wild		Recycle		Chinook	
	Catch	Harvest	Catch	Harvest	Catch	Harvest	Catch	Harvest	Catch	% of Tot	Catch	Harvest	Adult	Jack
September	225	170	95	95	85	75	29	0	20	0	0	0	6	65
October	1,648	1,074	667	632	509	439	196	4	276	16.7%	0	0	7	130
November	1,080	811	557	537	301	270	152	0	119	11.0%	49	49	0	0
Total	2,952	2,054	1,319	1,264	895	784	378	4	414	14.0%	49	49	13	195
			44.7%	61.5%	30.3%	38.1%								

Effort

Angler Hours	Sampled	
	Hours	%
2,355	539	22.9%
12,559	3,549	28.3%
8,701	2,327	26.7%
23,615	6,415	27.2%

2009 November Catch and Harvest

	Catch & Harvest														Effort and Sampling				
	Total		ADRV		AD Only		NM Hatchery		Wild		Recycle		Chinook		Angler Hrs (Avg/day)	Days in Month	Angler Hours	Sampled	
	Catch	Harvest	Catch	Harvest	Catch	Harvest	Catch	Harvest	Catch	Harvest	Catch	Harvest	Adult	Jack				Hours	%
Weekday Bank	267	234	149	149	98	84	64	0	41	0	31	31	0	0	148	18	2,671	547	20.5%
Weekday Boat	356	221	173	159	77	63	28	0	43	0	0	0	0	0	109	18	1,957	414	21.1%
Weekend Bank	159	120	92	89	32	29	21	0	16	0	15	15	0	0	163	12	1,958	645	32.9%
Weekend Boat	297	235	143	141	95	95	40	0	19	0	3	3	0	0	176	12	2,115	722	34.2%
Total	1,080	811	557	537	301	270			119	0	49	49	0	0			8,701	2,327	26.7%
% of Total Catch			51.6%		27.9%				11.0%										

November Comparison (2003-2009)

Month	Total		ADRV		AD Only		NM Hatchery		Wild		Recycle		Chinook		Angler Hours	Sampled	
	Catch	Harvest	Catch	Harvest	Catch	Harvest	Catch	Harvest	Catch	% of Tot	Catch	Harvest	Adult	Jack		Hours	%
November 2009	1,080	811	557	537	301	270	152	0	119	11.0%	49	49	0	0	8,701	2,327	26.7%
November 2008	1,238	1,028	447	410	691	618			100	8.1%	0	0	0	0	9,889	3,226	32.6%
November 2007	457	392	258	253	162	139			38	8.3%			29	16	6,113	1,996	32.6%
November 2006	652	582	533	508	96	74			23	3.6%	35	35	18	0	5,520	1,682	30.5%
November 2005	251	236	216	211	25	25			10	4.1%	1	1	45	1	3,843	1,831	47.7%
November 2004	488	415	445	396	28	19			15	3.2%			49	4	6,535	2,112	32.3%
November 2003	1,558	994	1,411	987	84	8			63	4.1%					8,251	2,087	25.3%